

REMARKS

The specifications are amended to claim the priority of a related U.S. Patent Application, serial number 09/873,119, filed on May 31, 2001 by the same inventor. Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached pages are captioned "**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE.**"

In the event that a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of the application, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact the undersigned by telephone at the number set out below.

Respectfully submitted

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In the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 7 to read:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[The present application claims the benefit of co-pending U.S. provisional application number entitled “Method and Apparatus for Network-based Tax Data Processing” serial number 60/209,815, filed June 1, 2000, and incorporated herein by reference]. The present application is a continuation-in-part (CIP) of co-pending patent application serial number 09/873,119, filed May 31, 2001, entitled “NETWORK BASED INTERVIEWING AND PROCESSING SYSTEM”, of the assignee of the present invention, incorporated herein by reference; and claims the benefit of the co-pending U.S. provisional application number 60/209,815, filed June 1, 2000, entitled “Method and Apparatus for Network Based Tax Data Planning”, of the assignee of the present invention, incorporated herein by reference.